

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 24-29 are active in the case.

Claims 1-23 have been canceled and new Claims 24-29 have been added. New Claim 24 corresponds to Claim 24, which was canceled in parent application U.S. Serial No. 09/623,057, with the minor change that the term "to" has been deleted between  $X^1$  and  $X^2$  in lines 5 and 6 of the claim and the term "and" has been substituted therefor. New Claim 25 is based on new Claim 24 and recites "A dopant material for an electroluminescence device represented by following general formula (4)...". New Claim 26 is based on new Claim 24 and recites "A hole transporting material or an electroluminescence device represented by following general formula (4)..." New Claims 27-29 are dependent on new Claims 24-26, respectively, and recite that  $a + b + c + d = 0$  in formula (4). Specific support for Claims 25 and 26 may be found in Claim 14, as originally filed, and the examples in the specification. No new matter has been entered into the new claims.

The application is now ready for examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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